

Project Fact Sheet



Construction of Salfet Governmental Hospital

PROJECT AIM (OVERALL OBJECTIVE)

To construct a New Government Hospital to Serve the Population of Salfet Governorate.

PROJECT DESCRIPTION

The Project Consisted of the Construction of a 2977 square meter Government Hospital. The construction of Salfet Hospital was selected as a priority by the Ministry of Health due to the fact that the Salfet Governorate, while not the most heavily populated of the West Bank, with a present population estimated at about 80,000, is very isolated. Unlike other Palestinian Governorates, Salfet did not have any major medical facilities. There are no hospitals within the Governorate, and the closest Government Hospitals in Nablus, Tulkarem and Ramallah are more than one-hour drive in the best of circumstances.

Thus, the purpose of the Hospital is to function as a secondary referral facility for the twenty one Primary Health Care Centres throughout the district, and in turn is supported by Nablus as well as Ramallah Hospital for more complicated emergency medical treatment.

OBJECTIVES

- To improve health care services and accessibility.

IMPACT STATEMENT

- Major health care facility more accessible.
- The general public health of the population improved.
- The types of services available increased.

PROGRESS UP TO DATE

All works associated with the facility have been completed. This also includes an additional \$300,000 allocated by UNDP/PAPP to complete the finishing works pertaining to the maternity ward as well as additional landscaping works.

THEMATIC AREA

Poverty Reduction

SECTOR / SUB SECTOR

Health

PROJECT DETAILS

Project Number	00014201
Award Number	00014201
Duration	Nov 01 – Dec 07
Donor	Government of Japan UNDP
Partner	Ministry of Health, Salfet Municipality

BUDGET

Total Budget	US\$2,300,000
Disbursement up to date	US\$2,277,075

Geographic Location

Salfet and will service northern Ramallah Governorates

OUTPUTS

- Improvement in Health Care accessibility as well as services in the effected area.



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The final facility upon completion includes the following elements:

- Construction of the basement including kitchen, dining room, laundry, stores, mechanical and boiler rooms;
- Construction of a ground floor consisting of a doctors room for outpatient clinics including administrative facilities, Emergency room, Pharmacy, Laboratory including X-Ray Unit & Inpatient Ward;
- Construction of a first floor including two operating theatres, recovery room, delivery room, maternity ward, sterilisation unit, two additional inpatient rooms, and a incubator room.

It should be noted that an increase in the size of the facility was requested by the Ministry of Health, so as to be able to provide additional services to the residents of the isolated area. This portion of the facility, approximately 450 square meters, was completed through a UNDP/PAPP contribution of \$267,536. The completed area will be utilised for patient rooms and in particular the maternity ward. Additional landscaping works were also completed.

In total the hospital will have a capacity of 51 beds and three incubators to treat patients. The facility was handed over in January 2006.

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CONSTRAINTS (if any)

- Project faced delays in project implementation due to curfews, etc.

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